

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please substitute the claim set in the appendix entitled Clean Version of Pending Claims for the previously pending claim set. The substitute claim set is intended to reflect cancellation of claims 20-30 and amendment of previously pending claims 18 and 19. The specific amendments to individual claims are detailed in the following marked up set of claims.

18. (Amended) The method of claim [40] 17 wherein the desired thickness of AlN is approximately 500 Angstrom.

19. (Amended) The method of claim [40] 17 wherein the beams last approximately two seconds each application, and the waiting periods are approximately two seconds.

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